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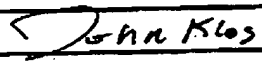
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Application No.: 10/705,570

Confirmation No.: 4241

Filed: November 10, 2003

Art Unit: 1746

For: Method and apparatus for cleaning fabrics, floor coverings, and bare floor surfaces utilizing a soil transfer cleaning medium

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